

JANUARY REPORT FOR THE SCHOOL

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getting back to the figure reached before the influenza epidemic. The percentage daily present is lower than customary. The prevalence of colds during the first half of the month accounts for this. The attendance lately has much improved.

Mr. Priestley has resumed his classes in calisthenics and drill. They are, as they should be, much appreciated by the scholars. At this time of the year especially, pupils are apt to remain in the class rooms at recesses. Instead of going into the fresh air. The calisthenic classes give them a chance to set the blood in motion in the cooler atmosphere of the drill room.

Miss McLean, who has charge of the primary grade, has been called to her home in the east by the serious illness of her mother. As she will be absent at least a month,

School Library

This has been completely reorganized and books will be in circulation during the coming week. It was considered inadvisable to allow any books to be taken out while the influenza was prevalent. In this connection it might be suggested that we are very ready to accept contributions of books.

on the book shelves of our citizens many volumes on the war, or such stories as the "Anne" books, which are not now of much service.

These would be of great profit to the scholars if dedicated to the school.

SIBERIAN PRISONERS RETURNING TO CANADA IN THE SPRING

Winnipeg.—The Canadian Siberian expeditionary force is coming home in the spring, according to an Ottawa dispatch to the Free Press from the

Ottawa correspondent. This declaration was reached by the government here with the approval of the Imperial authorities, who foot the bill of the ex-

pedition the dispatch adds. The expedition which comprises 4000 men was arranged for when it seemed that the Bolsheviki might extend their influence to the Pacific.

CHAMPION BEAT DE ORO

Chicago—Augie Nickchofer, Russian billiard champion, Moscow, Russia.

Alfred de Oro the Cuban expert by winning the first block 50 to 45 in sixty-three innings.

BIGGEST VOLCANO IN THE WORLD IN ERUPTION

Honolulu — Lava in the greatest

The old crater floor of Kilauea volcano has an area of about four square miles. The central firepit is about 2,000 feet in diameter. Several times

recently lava has poured over the constantly crumbling edges of the central firepit walls submerging the old crater floor which in active times is a black plain.

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WILSON IS NOW UNPOPULAR WITH FRENCH PEOPLE

Paris, Feb. 15.—Two months ago Woodrow Wilson could have been elected President of France. Today French would not elect him master of the world.

Whether the remainder of France has similarly changed it is impossible to say, but the people returning from the interior report that his picture still fills shops and residence windows and that his name still evokes the warmest cheers. This is not so in Paris, where the open unfriendliness of certain newspapers is evident in every railway station and hotel corridor conversation. The attitude is usually taken that Wilson is unduly lenient toward Germany. Angry debates allege he is more concerned with saving Germany than France.

Lloyd George, too, however, is not confined to the president. The names of Premier Lloyd George and other noted visitors are beginning to be heard whereas after Wilson's arrival scores of prominent names virtually dropped out of circulation. These names are now heard coupled with Wilson's charged with virtual treachery to France.

This palpable cooling of friendship is worrying many Americans, but it leaves the British unmoved. They smile and say they have been through it and that it won't last long. France is in "enjoying the war scare" and the emotional luxury of looking on the black side of life in order to enjoy greater delight when it is found that the situation is not so bad as anticipated, they say.

The British contend it is a national trait. This is one factor that can be taken into consideration in reading the pessimistic comments of a considerable section of the French press regarding peace work.

Royalties Active
Disregarding the allegation that government propaganda is responsible for the attitude of the French newspapers, there is another factor alleged to be included in their cries of "Wolf, Wolf." That is the fact that several of the best known Frenchmen are actually said to be royalists and consider France can be redeemed only when a king again occupies the palace. It seems to be having hard sledding, but cool British observers declare the difficulties are more apparent than real.

THE CROWN PRINCE SAYS ED IS TO BLAME

LONDON, Feb. 15.—In one of the most remarkable statements made from the German side since the close of the war, the former Crown Prince

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blames the late King Edward VII for provoking the conflict. John T. Parkes, correspondent of the Daily Express, wires an interview with the younger Hohenzollern from his place of exile, Weiringen, Holland. In defending his part in the world's greatest drama the Crown Prince says:

"If you want to know who started the war, I will tell you. It was Edward VII. I have talked with him for hours at a time, just as we are talking now. I know perfectly what was said for 45 years.

in his mind. He did not want to fight Germany. He wanted to squeeze her; but the creation of the entente was the beginning of the world war. Neither my father nor I began it."

OLDEST DRUMMER DEAD

Winnipeg—William Bradford believed to be the oldest commercial traveller in Canada died on Saturday aged 76 years. He had been on the road for 45 years.

ODDFELLOWS GRAND LODGE

Oddfellows week in Alberta has been set for the week commencing February 17th. During the week the Rebekah assembly, the Grand Encampment and the Grand Lodge of Alberta will meet in Calgary.

Among the high officials who will be present are Sister Margaret Ross of Medicine Hat, president of the Alberta Rebekah Assembly, and Sister Tilly Fox of Stettler, Vice-President; Grand Patriarch R. B. Morden, Lethbridge, and Grand Senior Warden H. McDonald, Edmonton, of the Encampment; Grand Master J. A. Tulley, Calgary, and Deputy Grand Master Edgar Berry, Hainburg, of the Grand Lodge.

Over 500 delegates are expected to attend. Among the Rebekahs there will be two competitions, the first for a silver cup, open to all, for which teams from six lodges have already entered, and the second for a cup presented by the Rebekah Lodge of Medicine Hat, to be competed for by lodges having a membership of 75 or less.

Mrs. S. R. Bowerman, Past Noble Grand of A. J. Rebekah Lodge was last night elected to attend a session, and on account of her illness, another will have to be sent.

A. D. Ferguson, Past Grand will represent Wainwright Lodge, No. 45 at the session.

RAILWAY APPROPRIATION

Washington, Feb. 17.—An appropriation of \$750,000,000 for the operation of railroads under government control was approved today by the house appropriation committee. Former Director General McAdoo asked for that amount to be added to the \$500,000,000 revolving funds provided for in the original railroad control act.

START NEW ATTACKS

Warsaw.—It has been decided that owing to the fact that hostilities between the Ukrainians and Poles in East Galicia have not ceased and the Ukrainians are starting new attacks against Lemberg, an inter-allied special delegation from the inter-allied commission will be sent to Lemberg to confer with the Ukrainians in an endeavor to bring about an armistice with the shortest possible delay.

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EDMONTON PLANNING A ROYAL RECEPTION

An elaborate program for the reception to be given the 49th Edmonton regiment is proposed by those having the initial arrangements in hand. Everybody in Edmonton will be enlisted for the gala occasion.

At present the tentative plan is that the men will embark at the railway depot at 2 o'clock in the afternoon. From there they will march to the parliament buildings, and then a grand parade through the city to the armistice. Dinner will be served the men and their families at the armistice, while the evening will be filled with a smoker and reception.

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expenses of the celebration, chief among them is the decorating of the city.
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HUNS TRYING TO AVOID ARMISTICE
TERMS—DO NOT WAIT TO SIGN TREATY

PARIS, Feb. 15.—That the policy of the German government in concentrating the responsibility for important decisions in a small committee of great powers, representatives has been carried to a point where it constitutes the progress of the conference is pretty well established by the events of the past few days. After five days' pre-occupation with the theory question of the armistice terms to be imposed on Germany, a decision has not yet been reached.

During the period the committee of ten has met, alternately as the supreme war council and as the conference committee and in the latter capacity has heard the cases put forward by representatives of the Allies and of the Germans. Wednesday it heard further Belgian arguments, and also considered where the new German boundary is to be placed with respect to Transylvania. It must now return to the consideration of the armistice question in consultation with the special committee of the civil and military representatives of the great powers, which has been formed. A decision must be reached within two days.

Alarm Over Delay
There is dissatisfaction bordering alarm on the German side over the delay in the fulfilment of the armistice conditions, and the best course to follow is the subject of the allied decisions. French opinion generally favors the imposition of terms that will reduce Germany to a state of military impotence, thus enabling the allies to resume their normal strength during the period of peace negotiations without running the risk that Germany will re-

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Just and Honorable Terms Between World Powers in New League

VALENTIA, Feb. 14.—The peace conference was held from time to time as occasion may require for the purpose of dealing with matters in the sphere of action of the league. Meetings of the body of delegates shall be held at the seat of the league or at such other place as may be found convenient and shall consist of representatives of the high contracting parties. Each of the high contracting parties shall have more than three representatives.

The executive council shall consist of representatives of the United States of America, the British Empire, France, Italy and Japan together with representatives of four other states, members of the league. The selection of these four states shall be made by the body of delegates on such principles as it may determine at any time. Pending the appointment of these representatives of the other states, representatives of (black list for names) shall be members of the executive council.

Meetings of the council shall be held from time to time as occasion may require, and at least once a year at whatever place may be decided upon or falling any such decision at the seat of the league and any matter within the sphere of action of the league affecting the peace of the world may be dealt with at such meetings. Invitations shall be sent to any power to attend a meeting of the council at which such matters directly affecting the interests are to be discussed and no decision taken at any meeting will be binding on such powers unless so invited.

All matters of procedure at meetings of the body of delegates or the executive council, including the appointment of committees to investigate particular matters shall be regulated by the body of delegates or the executive council.

Meetings of the body of delegates

The first meeting of the body of delegates and of the executive council shall be summoned by the president of the United States of America.

The permanent secretariat of the league shall be constituted at the seat of the league. The secretariat shall comprise such secretaries and staff as may be required, under the general direction and control of a secretary-general of the league, who shall be chosen by the executive council. The secretariat shall be subject to confirmation by the executive council.

The secretary-general shall act in that capacity at all meetings of the body of delegates or of the executive council. The expenses of the secretariat shall be borne by the states members of the league in accordance with the apportionment of the expenses on the international bureau of the Universal Postal Union.

Representatives of the high contracting parties and of those of the league, when engaged in the business of the league, shall enjoy diplomatic privileges and immunities, and the buildings occupied by the league or its officials or by representatives attending its meetings shall enjoy the benefits of extra-territoriality.

Admission to the league of states not signatories to the covenant, and not named in the protocol hereto as states to be invited to adhere to the covenant, requires the assent of not less than two-thirds of the states represented in the body of delegates and

for admission to fully self-governing countries including the dominions and colonies.

No state shall be admitted to the league until it is able to give effect to the principles of its covenant in relation to the high contracting parties, and unless it shall observe to such principles as may be prescribed by the league in regard to its naval and military forces and armaments.

The high contracting parties agree that the principle of the maintenance of peace will require the reduction of national armaments to the lowest point compatible with national safety, and the enforcement by common action of this national obligation, having special regard to the geographical situation and circumstances of each state, and the executive council shall formulate plans for effecting such reduction. The executive council shall also determine for the consideration and action of the several governments what military equipment and armaments in fair and reasonable proportion to the scale of forces laid down in the program of disarmament, and these limits shall be adopted and not be exceeded without the permission of the executive council.

The high contracting parties agree that the manufacture by provision of war arms and implements of war shall be restricted to the maintenance and improvement of the armaments and implements of war necessary for their safety.

The high contracting parties undertake in no way to conceal from each other the condition of such of their industries as are capable of being adapted to warlike purposes or the scale of their armaments and agree that there shall be full and frank interchange of information as to their military and naval programs.

A permanent commission shall be constituted to advise the league on the execution of the provisions of article VIII and on military and naval questions generally.

The high contracting parties shall undertake to respect on all occasions against external aggression the territorial integrity and existing political independence of all states members of the league. In case of any such aggression, or in case of any threat or danger of such aggression, the executive council shall advise upon the means by which the obligation shall be fulfilled.

Any war or threat of war, whether immediately affecting any of the high contracting parties or not, is hereby declared a matter of concern to the league, and the high contracting parties reserve the right to take any action that may be deemed wise and effectual to safeguard the peace of the nations.

It is hereby solemnly declared and agreed that the friendly right of each of the high contracting parties to draw the attention of the body of delegates or of the executive council to any circumstances affecting international intercourse which threatens to disturb international peace or the good understanding between nations upon which peace depends.

The high contracting parties agree that should disputes arise between them which cannot be adjusted by the ordinary process of diplomacy they will in no case resort to war without previously submitting the questions and matters involved either to arbitration or to enquiry by the executive council and until three months after the award by the arbitrators or recognition by the executive council, and that they will not even then resort to war as against a member of the league which complies with the award of the arbitrators or the recommendation of the executive council.

The high contracting parties agree that they will carry out in full good faith any award that may be rendered in the event of any failure to carry out the award the executive council shall propose what steps can best be taken to give effect thereto.

The executive council shall formulate plans for the establishment of a permanent court of international justice and this part shall, when established, be competent to hear and determine any matter which the parties recognize as suitable for submission to

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EVERYONE in Canada should understand just what the Government is doing to solve the unemployment problems that may arise through the demobilization of our fighting forces.

(1) Employment Offices.

So that everyone—male or female, soldier or civilian—can get quickly such jobs as are available the Government is co-operating with the Provinces in establishing a chain of Public Employment Offices. Employers are being urged to make use of these offices to secure any help they need. Farmers, for example, who need hired men should apply to the nearest office. There will be a Public Employment Office in every town of 10,000 people—and wherever the need for one exists. There will be 60 different offices in all—one-half are already in operation.

(2) Employment Opportunities.

The war held up much work that will now be carried on at once. Public works, shipbuilding, roadbuilding, railway work—construction of bridges, improvement of road-bed, making of new equipment—these will provide new opportunities for employment. In addition, the Government has sent a Trade Mission overseas to secure for Canada a share in the business of providing materials and products required for reconstruction work in Europe. It has also set aside the large sum of

\$25,000,000 to be loaned through the Provinces to encourage the building of workmen's houses. This will mean much new work in the spring.

(3) Land and Loans for Soldiers.

To help soldiers become farmers the Government has developed a programme that includes the providing of land, the granting of loans, and the training and supervision of those inexperienced in farming. At present, the soldier is granted, free, in addition to his ordinary homestead right, one quarter-section of Dominion lands. He also receives a loan up to the maximum of \$2,500.

These original plans are now being broadened. If Parliament passes the new proposals during this session, the Soldier Settlement Board will be able to buy suitable land and re-sell it to the soldier at cost.

Land up to the value of \$5,000 may be bought by this plan—the money to be repaid in 20 years. The low interest rate of 5 per cent. will be charged. These new proposals will also permit the Soldier Settlement Board to loan the soldier-farmer up to \$2,500 for purchasing equipment, etc., in addition to \$5,000 loan on his farm.



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COMMUNICATION

The Editor: Wainwright Star.

Dear Sir: The main feature of the report of the monthly meeting of the Wainwright branch of the Women's Institute and the subsequent reports, do not show a very good picture of the work of the branch. It is a pity that the members of the branch should be so far from the center of the community. It is a pity that the members of the branch should be so far from the center of the community. It is a pity that the members of the branch should be so far from the center of the community.

REV. SWENERTON TELLS OF HIS WORK AT CROSSFIELD

The following article appeared in the Christian Standard, from R. E. Swenerton, former pastor of Cross Church, now at Crossfield:

"This is a co-operation church. The cooperation is working harmoniously. A mission board of twenty-nine members was organized here some months ago with Mrs. Swenerton as leader. The meetings have been well attended and it is hoped by this means to create and maintain interest in missions among the rising generation. The pastor purchased a magic lantern and gave views of West China for the benefit of the mission board. He has also exhibited other sets of slides secured from the University Extension Department and aims to have a magic lantern evening at regular intervals. A Victory bond for missions was purchased by the Crossfield Sunday school. The circuit has six appointments and traveling is done by automobile. There are four Sunday schools two of them being newly organized since conference and it is hoped to secure leaders and open schools at the remaining two appointments in the spring. One appointment, Borden, 25 miles away, was taken on as a war measure. It was in pre-war days the head of a large circuit the other appointments of which are at present entirely without services. The people are very appreciative and should be supplied with a minister as soon as one can be had."

Mr. Swenerton is pastor of the Crossfield Union church, and the foregoing shows that he has been very successful in his new charge.

SOLDIERS SHOULD BE TOLD WHETHER FIGHTING CEASED

Paris, Feb. 18.—The Canadian soldiers on leave at the Canadian Y. M. C. A. have recently demanded that the soldiers be told immediately whether there was to be any more fighting. He severely criticized the methods by which time had been wasted since the signing of the armistice.

More than three months have elapsed since the armistice was declared and yet no flatter ourselves that the soldiers believe no time has been wasted. They are amazed at the extremely delicate methods employed and at some of the subjects upon which time has been spent. They know and before God they have a right to know, and know without on moment's unnecessary delay whether there is to be further fighting and of so, for what cause and for what purpose.

"This is the urgent, stern, imperative demand of those whose unparagoned sacrifice and enduring valor the peace conference owes its authority and must consecrate its labors. The soldiers should be told whether fighting has ceased."

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THE ENCOURAGEMENT OF ATHLETICS

Among the disadvantages that can be said against living in a small town is the fact that there is usually no organized development of sport, such as the Y. M. C. A. encourages in the cities. This lack of facilities for going into the various branches of athletics is to be regretted from many points of view. Young men grow up, lacking the physical and stamina that they should possess. After they grow older many are the regrets expressed that they did not learn this of the other thing when young.

A young healthy body is synonymous with a clean mind and moral character above reproach. The Y. M. C. A. recognizes this fact and devote most of their energies to developing a strong body.

Wainwright does not possess a Y. M. C. A. building with its complete equipment still we need not necessarily forego the pleasures of taking up athletics in all its various forms. The big rink building, so far away as it seems in the summer time, could be properly managed to be made into one of the finest club room and gymnasium in the west. With a good center floor and comfortable club rooms there is no reason why the rink should not be turned into a regular Y. M. C. A. where boxing, fencing, club swinging, wrestling, indoor baseball, exercise, etc., could not take place. A good physical instructor could handle the exercising department, others would be desired to take charge of other departments such as rowing, polo vaulting, throwing the disc, javelin, and club rooms could be provided for the outdoor sports such as baseball, lacrosse or football.

There is no better work could be undertaken by the parents of Wainwright than making such a proposition a success. The development of the coming men and women into strong, robust, healthy citizens is worthy of every one's support.

This idea will likely be taken up by several of the town people and it is to be hoped that they will have every assistance from all organizations and people who are anxious to make Wainwright a better place to live in and also to develop and encourage good clean sport.

GERMANS WITHDRAWN

Berne, Feb. 18.—It is announced that negotiations between Lithuania and Poland have resulted in an agreement by which the tenth German army will withdraw from Lithuania and the Polish army will occupy the territory thus evacuated. It is said that the Polish forces have already entered Volokavik near Grodno.

"PUNCH" GETS FIRST IMPRESSION

On the face of the War Savings Stamps is a reproduction of Bernard Partridge's famous drawing "The Canadian at Ypres" permission to use of which was very kindly granted by the publishers of "Punch" to which the National War Savings Committee is very much indebted. The first Stamp issued with this impression has been suitably framed and forwarded by Sir Herbert Ames to the offices of "Punch" in London, England.

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CHINESE CANNOT RUN EATS IN MANITOBA NOW

Wainwright, Feb. 12.—The legislature passed a bill last night putting out of business all Chinese Restaurants in Manitoba. This was done in order to protect hotel men. The members claimed these places were all night resorts where boys learned evil habits.

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Runabout	\$ 660
Touring	690
Coupe	805
Sedan	1075
Standard Chassis	625
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Regular	On Sale
Collars	\$ 1.50 .50
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Ladies Corset Covers75 .49
Ladies' Night Gowns	2.00 1.60
Ladies Voile Blouses	3.00 1.75
Children's Stockings50 .30
Children's Stockings60 .40
Knitted Corset Covers75 .50
Blankets	12.25 10.00
LADIES FLANNELLETT KINONAS Regular	
\$3.50 for	\$2.50
HAIR NETS, Regular 15c three for	25c

MEN'S WEAR	
Regular	On Sale
2 Sheep lined Vests	\$ 6.00 \$ 4.00
Wool Mitts65 .50
1 Only Wombat Coat	80.00 60.00
Sweaters	2.25 1.75
Braces65 .50
Military Brushes	3.75 2.95
Rubber Collars25 .15
Kid Gloves	3.00 2.50
Kid Gloves	2.00 1.65
Wool Half Hose65 .50
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THE SPORTING LYRE

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WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 19th.

Good morning.

We are not putting anything in about
When a Feller Needs a Friend as we
haven't enough room this week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Fraser left Sun-
day evening for Edmonton. They will
spend a few days there and return
Thursday.

The O. T. T. class gave an enjoyable
Valentine party last Saturday evening.
A short program was given by the girls
and games were played afterwards. A
lunch was served.

HOCKEY NOTES
No doubt everybody saw what was
put in the Star last week about the
poorest referee that ever saw a pair
of skates. Unity must have been
pretty hard up when they picked him.
Wainwright is not one about this
game but when one side plays fair it
goes to see that the other side should
it is too late now to talk about it.
I myself. Editor of this paper, think
that the hockey boys have been playing
hockey should get a good deal of credit
for the work they have been doing
and it wouldn't hurt anybody to give
the boys a good cheer, everybody

should not be afraid to dig out a little
cash to go and watch them play.
We can only say a word or two about
the date which the midweek insti-
tute of the Methodist church put on. It
was quite an interesting topic to debate
on. Up to the last report the nega-
tive side won out, affirmative 57, ne-
gative 70, winning by 3 points. Judges
were Miss Parsons, Mrs. Low and M.
Pawling.

The game that was played last week
by the town boys and Unity was a very
interesting game, the town boys played
hard but they were no match for Unity
Wainwright needs more practice but
she gave a good show. The score was
Unity 3, Wainwright 1. A large crowd
went to see it. The Star has already
said something about it.
When the wind blows the sun shines
when the sun shines it always snows.

The U. F. W. A. and U. F. A. gave a
fine concert and dance last Friday.
The theatre was packed to its capacity.
The program was very good. Mr. Watson
opened the program by a short speech.
Mrs. Cookburn gave a very entertaining
sing, and the U. F. W. A. gave a
piece, as also did Mrs. D. O. Brown.
The girls of the Wainwright high

school gave three choruses, you will
notice that we are not giving very
much about it but the Star will give
more. There are some more singers
and a splendid recitation of two little
boys, by Ruth Douglas. The orchestra
was composed of M. Rulison at the
piano, Mr. Chandler, trombone, Mr.
Cook the violin and Murray Pawling
the cornet. Miss Rulison gave a fine
song entitled Give a Little Credit to
Your Poor Old Dad, and everyone en-
joyed it and the way she gave it.
Miss Path Douglas imitated Italian
brogue in a recitation. Mrs. F. E.
Fraser played the accompaniment for
most of the songs.

The Presbyterian church are giv-
ing a free for the kiddies and older
folks after, on Thursday evening.

Paint your face black and join the
minstrel show as long as you can
break your voice you are free to join.

If you have any news don't forget to
ask me to remind you to tell me that
I am not to forget to make a note of it.

You can't tell whether some people
are talking or whether it is just the
wind whistling through the slats in
their belly.

THE LADIES AID OF GRACE
METHODIST CHURCH
WILL HOLD A
Pie Sale
AND
AFTERNOON TEA
Saturday
AFTERNOON, February 22nd,
IN MR. BOWERMAN'S STORE

Locals

Dr. Mackenzie, optometrist, will
visit Wainwright on Wednesday, Mar-
ch 1st, and will be at the Wainwright
Hotel.

The regular meeting of the town
council was held Tuesday evening
when routine business was transacted.

O. J. Elder is in Calgary this week
attending a convention of Ford dealers.

J. W. Stuart is crying three auction
sales during the coming two weeks.

Stuart and Peterson, of Wainwright
and Irma, will dissolve partnership by
mutual consent of March 1st. Mr.
Stuart will continue to run the branch
here and Mr. Peterson that of Irma.

A meeting of the U. F. A. will be held
in town on Saturday afternoon.

Word was received of the death at
Edmonton of Mrs. Martin E. Porter.
Mr. and Mrs. Porter are both suc-
cessors of the Wainwright district. Mr.
Porter having built the Wainwright
hotel. The many old time friends will
regret to learn of the death.

The Daughters of the Empire will
give a skating party in the rink next
Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fraser left Sunday for
a short trip to Edmonton.

The Alberta Pacific elevator com-
pany unloaded several cars of grain to
be stored in their new plant here.

The snow storms of the fore part of
the week was responsible for causing
Tuesday's passenger train to be over
nine hours late.

The Gilt Edge Municipality has
opened an office in town, in the town
building, where Mr. Hansen, the sec-
retary treasurer has charge. The large
amount of extra work in connection
with the handling of seed grain made
this a necessity.

A. D. Ferguson left Monday evening
for Calgary where he will attend the
grand lodge meeting of the I. O. O. F.

E. L. Cook has dedicated to dispose of
his herd of registered Shorthorns.
His herd contains some splendid ani-
mals, both male and female.

J. W. Stuart reports that at a recent
auction sale of cattle, the prices real-
ized were exceptionally high and that
every item offered brought forth brisk
bids.

A meeting will be held in town on
Thursday for the nomination of coun-
cillors for the Gilt Edge Municipal dis-
trict.

A very enjoyable afternoon and
evening was spent Sunday by a bunch of
Wainwright's aggressive young people
when out for a sleigh drive. They
first stopped at Love's and from there
to Mr. Walker who lives in the Buf-
falo park. There they had a delight-
ful supper, and was entertained in the
way of music and games. Returning
home they had one grand "up set" but
as no one was hurt everything was
O. K.

YOUR CHANCE

30 lbs. Purify Flour .. \$5.45
30 lbs. Quaker Flour .. \$5.45
Rolled Oats, 20 lbs. .. \$1.35
Schumacher, Stock Feed
Per ton .. \$63
Farmers Special Chap
Per ton .. \$53
Children Feed, very
best, per 100 lbs. .. \$3.75

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Prices quoted are at the Mill.
No delivery at these prices

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GLASSES

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Temporary
Use

Some eyes do not require the con-
stant wearing of glasses.
But—there are thousands of cases
where glasses, temporarily worn,
would relieve discomfort, annoyance
and distress.
Favor your eyes with real glasses.

Albert F. Brown
OPTOMETRIST

Wainwright.
TUESDAY MARCH 11
EDGERTON Monday March 10

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SPECIALS

FANCY CLEANED CURRANTS
Per pound .. 35c
SAYO (Pee) BEANS, 2 lbs for .. 25c
RICE, Two pounds for .. 25c
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McLAREN'S CREAM CHEESE, per
jar .. 35c
WALLACE'S KIPPERED HERRING
Two tins for .. 45c
CLARK'S SOUPS per can .. 15c
FINEST CHOICE SALMON, Tail,
per can .. 40c
LIBBY'S "KRAUT" for particular
people per can .. 35c
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OIL in 1-2 pint tins .. 60c.
Exposure to light causes deterioration
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COMMEND TO YOU, IF
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TO CALL SOON. IF YOU HAVE ALREADY PROVED THE
SATISFACTORY QUALITY OF OUR SUPERIOR STOCK, WE
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NO. 1 JAPAN RICE, (Regular) 2 pounds for .. 25c
NO. 1 ASHROFT BEANS (Regular) 2 lbs for .. 45c
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POTATO FLOUR IN PACKAGES 2 for .. 25c
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War to Peace

Make The Returning Soldier Welcome

THIS is an important hour for Canada. The nation is entering on a new era. It is passing from war to peace. Let us start this new era right. There are thousands of soldiers returning from overseas. The Government is doing all in its power to get these men back to civil life.

It is giving a *War Service Gratuity*—more than any other nation—to keep the soldier going till he gets a job.

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It teaches a man a *new trade* when his service unfits him for his former trade.

It gives him *free medical treatment* when illness recurs, and supplies *free artificial limbs* and surgical appliances.

It is bringing back to Canada at the public expense the *soldiers' dependents* now overseas.

But the Government, however willing, cannot provide the personal touch needed in this work of repatriation. That must be given by the people themselves.

The men who went from these parts to fight in Flanders deserve a real welcome home—the best we can give.

In most towns committees of citizens have already been organized to meet the soldiers and their dependents at the station, to provide hot meals, supply automobiles, afford temporary accommodation when necessary.

In addition, many other towns are organizing social gatherings to give public welcome to returned men after they have been home a few days.

After he has rested, the soldier must be provided with an opportunity for employment. In towns of 10,000 population, Public Employment Offices have been established to help soldiers, as well as war-workers, secure good jobs quickly. Where these exist, citizens should co-operate. Where they do not exist, the citizens themselves should help with employment.

The fighting job is done. It has cost many a heart-burning. But it has been well done. The least we can do is to show our appreciation in no uncertain manner.

Don't let the welcome die away with the cheers.



The Repatriation Committee

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SASKATCHEWAN'S PREMIER BACKS UP WAR SAVINGS PLAN

His Honor, Thousands of Thrift Clubs May be Formed in Schools of Province and Movement be Made Permanent.

Hon. W. M. Martin, Premier of Saskatchewan, is a firm believer in thrift saving in such policy many benefits both for the individual and the nation. The War Savings Stamp campaign also has received his hearty endorsement in the following statement:

"The War Savings campaign gives us two very important aspects—national and the individual. With regard to the former, there is no doubt that a revolution has taken place in our financial methods, and whether it is desirable or not, it must in all probability be a good many years before Canada will be able to borrow money from Britain, as was formerly the case. Canada is learning to borrow money from her own people, and the nation that owes money to itself is in a very different position from the nation that owes money to people outside its own borders. It need not be emphasized that if Canada is to be self-supporting financially, the need for national thrift becomes doubly obvious."

"With regard to individual thrift, I do not think there is much doubt that most of us unthinkingly fritter away a great deal more than we realize—a great deal in unconsidered trifles, which if put together at the end of a year would astonish us by its amount. The war has taught many of us a great deal, but I am convinced that most of us have a great deal to learn along the line of personal and business thrift. What has been needed in some scheme which made it easy to save and which offered an inducement to save. This seems to be supplied by the present plan. A penny saved is a penny earned, and the pennies and shillings then can be saved without people going without anything that is really necessary to their comfort or happiness, must in the aggregate be something enormous."

"As Minister of Education, I am naturally much interested in the plan now being worked out for the establishment of Thrift Clubs in our schools in connection with the War Savings campaign. It is hoped that thousands of these clubs may be formed. The practical introduction of thrift at an early age cannot fail to have a most important effect, not only upon the nation and I am confidently relying, not only upon my department, but upon the teachers and trustees throughout the province, and may I add, the parents, giving their loyal support to the movement. These clubs need not be confined to the schools. The idea is capable of extension in all the walks of life."

"I should like to add that I hope the movement now being organized will not be looked upon as a mere temporary expedient for the raising of funds. My hope is that this out of thrift may become a part, as it were, of the national consciousness, so that avoidable waste, whether in private expenditure or national production and distribution may become to be regarded as an economic sin."

TIMELINESS IN FARM OPERATION

As the cow wheels in any great machine are timed to operate in unison for the effective discharge of the season's is essential to the highest success of the agriculturist. In the great machine a like adjustment will result in disaster. In Nature's greater enterprises the farmer who does not adjust his operations to conform to her law loses seriously thereby. By adjusting his practice to a nicety with the season, he secures for himself the long end of the whistle-tires, whereas if work is done out of season, even to a small degree, he is hoping for success against natural law and is betting against the odds.

Frequently questions similar to the following are asked:

"How late can breaking be done?"

"How late is it safe to sow wheat?"

Evidences are not wanting that in too many instances the importance of timeliness is under estimated. In some sections of the west, breaking was well in progress last September, even though the season was unusually dry and the work was being done at a great expense of power, and under conditions which rendered it impracticable to do good work as the soil turned over in lumps. Unless the season is unusually favorable as to early rains this kind will not produce a paying return if, in fact, any crop, in 1919, and will be more difficult to bring in to condition for a crop in 1920 than if the breaking had been deferred until the middle of May of this coming season. If a man is anxious to dispose of his funds he could do so with less loss of money by taking the bid of the store and putting his crisp ten-dollar bills into the fire than to undertake to lose his money by breaking the land under these conditions in the month of September.

Another mistake where lack of timeliness resulted in loss may be cited as in the case of the farmer in Central Alberta who in 1917, sowed

seed five weeks after the middle of May. This wheat gave splendid promise, but owing to the late date when sown, and in fact that a variety was selected which was not suitable to the section in which it was being grown, the crop was frosted, the grower blamed the climate.

In considering the question of timeliness, let every farmer endeavor to co-operate with nature in order to secure for himself the beneficial results of such co-operation, and to avoid the disappointment and loss resulting from his failure to minutely adjust his program to Nature's great plan.

LONG RANGE GUN ON WAY TO PARIS CITY

PARIS, Feb. 24.—One of the German long range guns which shelled Paris at intervals during the last few months of the war is now on its way to this city, and will be placed on exhibition in the Place de la Concorde, according to La Victoire. Marshal Foch, the newspaper says, demanded the surrender by the Germans of one of these guns which was found by French officers near Mayence, and it is this weapon which is being sent to Paris.

ANNUAL MEETING M. D. OF VALE 392

The annual meeting and nomination for councillors was held on the 20th of February at Daisy School House, with a large number in attendance.

The meeting was called to order by the Chairman, Rev. J. Taylor. The Hall Insurance Act was taken up and discussed. It was very apparent that the gathering heartily endorsed all clauses of the act.

Matters pertaining to Municipal affairs, was then taken up and thoroughly discussed, the meeting being in favor of contract labor on the roads.

The question of raising money by the issuing of debentures for the building of good roads throughout the municipality was also gone into, but the question received little or no support.

Nominations for councillors were then called for, there being four divisions vacant, viz.—No. 1, 2, 4, and 5. Nominations being closed, the result was found as follows:

For division 1, Mr. Arthur Anderson of McCafferty was elected by acclamation.

Division No. 2, is being contested for by Mr. Oliver J. Gould and Mr. Stafford, both of Buffalo View.

Division No. 4 was not represented. Mr. Elmer Jackson, of Greenhills was elected by acclamation to represent Division No. 5.

The organizing of the new council will take place early in March 1919.

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HUDSONBAY ROUTE NOT FEASIBLE FOR EXPORT OF GRAIN

Vancouver, B.C., Feb. 20.—The Hudson Bay route never will become a reality, according to grain exporters of Canada. In the opinion of James Caruthers, of Montreal, ex-president of the Canada Steamships Ltd. and head of the grain exporting firm bearing the name.

"There will be two recognized outlets for the great bulk of the Canadian crop, and Vancouver will be one of these," he said here today. "As far as the Hudson Bay route is concerned, it is not a serious question of the transportation, but of the cost of the grain exporting firm bearing the name."

"What is needed in the grain exporting business is the vessel that can take on grain and convey it to its destination without a second handling. These vessels can come into Vancouver the whole year round. So why shouldn't this port be given the preference? And let me tell you the near future will see grain flowing this way in a steady stream."

"At present Montreal is recognized as the grain exporting centre, but this has come as a natural result of its location and for the same reason the grain will come through this port. I believe in a short time the railway companies will be compelled to recognize the policy of shipping all grain—wheat, originating at about Medicine Hat or a point just eastward of there."

NOTICE TO CLAIMANTS AND CREDITORS

NOTICE—In the Estate of Benjamin Hershey, late of the post office of Wainwright, in the Province of Alberta, farmer, deceased.

NOTICES BY HEREBY GIVEN that all persons having claims upon the estate of the above named Benjamin Hershey, who died on the fourth day of January A.D. 1919, are required to file with M. G. Cardell, Esq., of Wainwright, Alberta, barrister, by the First day of May, A.D. 1919, a full statement, duly verified, of their claims, and of any securities held by them, and after that date, the Administrator will distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice shall have been so filed, or which have been brought to his knowledge.

Dated this twenty-fifth day of February, A. D. 1919.

M. G. CARDELL,

Solicitor for the Administrator.

Wainwright, Alberta.

Approved:

H. C. TAYLOR,

J.D.G.D.E.

Peanut Butter

The peanut is generally conceded to have originated in Brazil, whence it was introduced into Europe shortly after the discovery of North America and whence it has been carried by man to nearly all warm climates throughout the world. It is said that peanuts were introduced to the United States by negroes imported from Africa. Since the Civil war, however, there has been an important crop in the South, especially from Virginia to Texas. In Tennessee the peanut is known as "goose-pellet," or ground pea. From 35 to 40 per cent of oil may be pressed from the shelled nut, and this, if carefully prepared, is useful for cooking and in the arts. The "cake" which is left after the oil has been expressed, makes an excellent food for cattle and is used as such to a great extent in some localities.

Peanuts are an important crop in the standpoint of human food, valuable from an acre, for the reason that it yields being available as a catch crop in corn, they are giving value as a staple crop in the sandy lands of the cotton States, especially where the cotton boll would be troublesome. In many sections alternate rows of corn and peanuts give good results, particularly on semi-arid lands. In the south western States from Virginia to Florida, peanuts have long been recognized as one of the chief crops for hog raising. The acreage for this and other purposes has increased greatly as hog raising has been introduced in the cotton plain sections of the south east.

The demand for peanuts has widened greatly as a result of new methods and the product now enters into two important avenues of commerce. (1) In the form of cake or meal, after the oil is extracted, as a valuable food for live stock and (2) as a source of valuable fat for use for cooking and other purposes. A larger acreage of this crop is to be encouraged as a means of increasing the amount of pork products in the Southern States and to meet the demand for peanuts for the manufacture of peanut butter and for use in confectioneries. Recent experiments at the Texas experiment station demonstrate methods of feeding peanut meal or peanut cake to avoid the soft flesh of pork, which ordinarily results from feeding this raw product. In addition to the nuts, the hay is in great demand and it has a feeding value similar to that of alfalfa.

Going back to the subject of peanut butter it may be of interest to know that this product was first invented by the Seventh Day Adventists, which people are vegetarians. They found that butter made from peanuts was very nutritious and began manufacturing this product in a small way and sold it exclusively among their own people. The demand for this product gradually increased as other people who were not vegetarians began to find out that it was a very palatable food and very nourishing. It seems that the Adventists did not consider it their product. They left this for other people to do.

For the benefit of those who are not really familiar with exactly what peanut butter is, it would be well to state that peanut butter in reality is roasted peanuts thoroughly macerated with the proper amount of salt added. Only No. 1 Spanish and Virginia peanuts, the choicest grown, are used and the two kinds are carefully blended for the finest flavor. After the peanuts have been carefully selected, they are roasted properly. Then the skins defective kernels, the little bitter hearts and grits are removed. The process is called blanching. The peanuts are then placed into a large machine, where they are crushed and seasoned. The finished butter is poured directly into jars, cans or pans and is then sealed up immediately.

The process of making peanut butter is entirely mechanical. The peanuts are not touched by human hands once, during the process of manufacture.

Peanuts contain plenty of natural oil, which is nourishing by well known system, but it is only possible to obtain this oil by crushing the peanuts in properly constructed machinery. It is almost impossible for the human teeth to masticate peanuts sufficiently to make them ready for digestion which explains for the reason that professional men suggest the use of peanut butter in preference to roasted peanuts.

Although the peanut butter business is practically in the infancy, the annual sales at the present time run into millions of dollars, and it has been predicted by reputable men that in time to come peanut butter will share its place with cow's butter in human consumption.

LABOR LEADERS ADJOURN

London, Feb. 21.—The triple alliance of miners, railwaymen and transport workers at a meeting held decided that "in view of the serious position a strike would necessitate" to adjourn until a date prior to March 15, the day upon which the miners' strike was expected to begin.

HEAVY DECLINE IN FOOD PRICES IS LOOKED FOR

London, Feb. 19.—George H. Stobart, the food controller, in the course of a statement to representatives of the press on the food situation said:

"During the last three months from November 1, 1918 to February 1, 1919 prices declined slightly in this country. The decline certainly is continuing and it may safely be anticipated that the next month will show an appreciable fall in food prices as a whole. It is recognized that the system of controlled prices, based upon costs, thought it was the best, and indeed the only plan for the prevention of profiteering in the past time of scarcity is by no means of the same value in time of abundance, and may not in some cases secure distribution of food to the public as would be secured by free competition.

"When circumstances permit the food controller is prepared to free articles of food from control and to trust to competition instead of to cost to reduce expense of distribution to the lowest possible point. He has already taken this action in case of tea and margarine. He has the same measure under consideration in respect to butter, lard, condensed milk, dried fruits and meat, about which abundance of food is being accumulated. It is expected that a substantial reduction in price will be made almost immediately.

"There are at present in England a four weeks' supply of frozen meat, six and one-half weeks' supply of bacon, seven weeks of cheese, two months of butter, eleven months of sugar and five months of tea."

AUTO LOADED WITH WHISKEY HIT BY TRAIN

Detroit, Feb. 21.—The first fatalities incident to the increased whiskey licensing as a result of the supreme court's decision invalidating the march and seizure law occurred when an automobile, near here, instantaneously killing the three occupants. According to the police the car was heavily laden with whisky.

Governor Sleeper has ordered the state constabulary to assist federal officers in patrolling the Ohio-Michigan border. The liquor parade from Toledo grew so large that the railways were forced to put on extra cars on their trains. Reports from Monroe, near the state line, places the number of automobiles passing through there in twenty-four hours at 4,000. Of this number it was said about 100 have been wrecked.

Washington, Feb. 14.—The total cost of the war to all belligerents including the Central powers was placed at \$113,000,000,000 by Secretary Baker in an address here last Wednesday at the American women's victory dinner. This estimate the secretary said, was based on figures just compiled by the war college. New inventions in the process of development by the allied governments and the enemy, Mr. Baker said, would have made the fifth year of the war twice as destructive in human life as all the four years that had gone before.

Mo Embargo Is To Be Placed on Cattle At Present Time

OFFICIAL WORD FROM UNITED STATES HAS NOT BEEN RECEIVED

WHEAT SITUATION MORE COMPLICATED

DOMINION GOVERNMENT NOT LIKELY TO FIX PRICE FOR 1919 CROP

regard to the sale of Canadian wheat, and there is good reason to believe that the situation will be made shortly of large bales of wheat in Canada. This will clear the situation, and will cause the growth of a future market.

The Wheat Situation

The situation in regard to wheat is more complicated. Although there have been reports for the sale of the remainder of last year's crop at the guaranteed price, as to the coming year's crop, the situation is not yet cleared up. A dispatch of the month of April from the United States, which was received by the Canadian Wheat Growers' Association, went to England in an endeavor to arrange in advance, a sale of this year's crop at a price as high as that guaranteed by the English wheat growers, and will make some statement as to yet to report as to the result of their mission, but it is feared it has not been very successful. Mr. Mahan is back to attend the convention in London of the Canadian wheat growers, and will make some statement as to the result of their mission, but it is feared it has not been very successful. Mr. Mahan is back to attend the convention in London of the Canadian wheat growers, and will make some statement as to the result of their mission, but it is feared it has not been very successful.

U.S. Has Surplus

The United States has a surplus of wheat. In addition there is a high price guaranteed by the food controller to the bakers on the understanding that they keep up the price to the farmers. The United States naturally feels under no obligation to pay this price to Canadians. If such an embargo is put in force, it will still further muddle the situation. In regard to wheat for bakers, however, the officials believe the situation will soon clear. Sir Robert Burden, Lloyd Harris, chairman of the War Trade Mission, and the Agriculture representative of the Agriculture department, have been carrying on negotiations with the other overseas in fixed price.

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HUGH FRASER, Editor

Good Morning.

The Rev. Mr. Simpson of Tofield has been the guest of Rev. N. F. Priestley for a few days.

Mr. P. E. McLeod of the March 1st Insurance Co. arrived home from Calgary and Edmonton. This was supposed to be put in last week but Mr. Chandler lost the copy.

Drummond Fraser who was last with Wainwright in the hockey match against Unity was wounded but it seems the rest of the players must have been killed as we never hear anything from the boys in the line of hockey. Now, cheer up boys you may win next time. Give us another game.

Mary Scottfield gave a delightful party in her home one evening last week. Games were played and after

dainty refreshments were served. The guests were Vera Hordkiss, Mabel Brown, Polly Springer, Gerlie Spring, Mr. Harold Pecknold, Cecil Pecknold, Owen Pigeon, Karsten Knies.

Miss Helen Connor gave a small party after skating on Tuesday evening. Refreshments were served and everyone had a fine time. We cannot give a list of the guests as we don't know them.

Mr. Ferguson of the Star staff returned from a visit to Calgary last Friday. Mr. Ferguson represented the local exhibitors at the convention held in the city. He said that there were some fine speakers there and had the pleasure of listening to Deputy Grand Sir Oliver, of Toronto, who occupies the second highest chair in addition, ship. Mr. Ferguson will give his re-

port at the meeting next Monday evening.

Mr. McTavish, who used to see the town had her electric lights reconnected. It is a relief at the end of the month and will live for a long time.

Mr. McTavish has not the custom of a bedchamber here ever since the start.

When a fellow needs a friend
Being Sick

My eyes to be a man, not like the medicine and get well.
Six days to swallow it and never mind the smell.
Doctor only laughed at me whenever I would groan.
Huh, when he needs medicine he never takes his own.
But I say when a fellow needs a friend,

ANNUAL REPORT CANADIAN SEED GROWERS ASSOCIATION

The fourteenth annual report of the Canadian Seed Growers Association covering the work of that organization for the year ending March 31, 1916, has just been published and is now available for distribution to those who apply for same to the Publications Branch, department of agriculture, Ottawa.

The report opens with a brief statement regarding the organization, its constitution and methods of the association. This is followed by a list of officers and active members.

The director's report reviews the conditions of the preceding season and their effects upon the production of seed. It represents the director's appreciation of the continued co-operation of departmental officials in the different provinces. The methods of the Canadian Seed Growers Association, in carrying out its work, are pointed out as a model study of seed production by other provinces.

The report of the secretary, L. H. Newman, Ottawa, indicates that 224 farmers have applied for membership during the previous season, and that 100 of these have been qualified for full membership. Work during the year has been largely confined to the improvement of various crops in seed, with special reference being made to the grain crops.

Important amendments made in the regulations on the occasion of the last annual meeting are published. These amendments make it possible for any farmer to vote and be known as first or second generation registered seed and have the immediate property of this registered providing the growing is inspected and the harvested crop is up to the standard.

It is hoped that the amendment may result in increasing the quantity of good seed in Canada very largely.

OLD IMPERIAL GERMAN ARMY THING OF PAST

BERLIN, Feb. 24.—The Conservative press laments the passing away of the old imperial army, which will become a thing of the past when the Weimar assembly, perhaps this week, adopts the national defence measure. This bill provides for the organization of national guard which will be composed of one brigade for each former army corps. Conscription will be abandoned according to the terms of the bill and voluntary recruiting will be conducted by a central bureau.

At present unofficial stations are recruiting soldiers, being supported out of private funds. These organizations will be incorporated in the new army, which, it is declared, will be built on "strictly democratic lines" but with rigid discipline. As voluntary enlistment is a new experiment, the numerical strength of the national guard is problematical.

Food prices are soaring and many cases of typhus are reported, which, hospital accommodation is extremely limited. The principal problem is causing much concern. Great hardships are being suffered by 12,500 Austrian, German and Turkish officers and 95,000 men owing to the lack of fuel and food.

WINNIPEG MONARCHS WOULD PLAY SERIES GAMES AT CALGARY

CALGARY, Feb. 24.—The Winnipeg Monarchs have wired Lloyd Turner asking for a series of games here. It is doubtful if the league will be able to accommodate them so late in the season as Vancouver will be here next week and a brand new team to come. The great city team will have the first chance if any team is to come here after the Vancouver games.

Locals

Mr. A. Deane was a visitor to Edmonton the forepart of the week.

W. R. Zinkan left for Edmonton Saturday evening, where he later went to Edmonton to stay at the "Quaker" end of the line.

Edward W. Starni will give an aquatic show at St. George's pool on Monday, March 13, calling horses and other animals will be offered.

The pie sale of the Ladies Aid of Grace church netted a good sum in spite of the very severe weather of last Saturday.

Some of the young people asked that we correct our information given in our item appearing last week regarding a sleigh party on Sunday. It was not a sleigh party, but simply a few who paid a visit to Mr. Walker of the park and while there did not, desecrate the spirit of the Sabbath by games, etc.

SNELL—MRS. SNELL, February 12, 1916, by Rev. J. H. Deane, B.A., B.D., Christina MacGregor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Archibald Muir, Huntingdon, Que., to Albert Ernest Snell of Hesh, Alberta.

A. Labrie and U. Girard returned last Wednesday from Calgary where they spent a few days on business.

A full attendance is requested at the L.O.O.F. Hall, Saturday evening of next week. The first degree will be conferred on three brothers and the report of the Grand Lodge representative received.

Mrs. R. V. Fieldhouse spent a few days visiting friends at Tofield the beginning of the week.

Corp. L. Sullivan recently returned from France, spent a few days last week in town visiting his wife. He expects to make his home here in the future.

R. T. Hamer, purchased the residence of Mr. J. Garbert this week.

Mrs. C. Davies, who has been on the sick list for the past ten days is able to be around again.

METHODIST SERVICES

Services as usual on Sunday at Grace church at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. The pastor will preach at both services, also at Greenfields at 3 p.m. Grace church Sunday school and Bible class at 3 p.m.

The Mid-week institute will this week assemble on Friday evening at the lecture by Mr. Hunt. After much delay and difficulty we have secured Mr. John E. Hunt to give his lecture on "The Debra a New Testament." We are expecting a good audience. Everybody welcome.

St. Thomas Church of England Sunday, March 2nd, Quinquagesima, 11 a.m. matins and holy communion; 2:30 Sunday school; 7:30 evening service at all services. The Vicar. (Thursday, February 27th, 7:30 Litany and choir practice.

St. Patrick's, Heath Sunday, March 2nd—Quinquagesima, 10 o'clock Litany, sermon and holy communion. Preacher, the vicar.

SOVIETS WILL COMPEL TO DO DAY'S WORK

London, Feb. 24.—The Russian Soviet government says a wireless dispatch to the Lethbridge Herald from Ottawa intimates that Hon. W. L. McKenzie King will be the choice of the Liberal members of the House of Commons as postmaster general and that they will use their influence at the national convention in his favor.

SAYS MCKENZIE KING WILL BE CHOSEN TO SUCCEED LAURIER

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TECHNIZING OUR CLEAN MODERN STORE, WE INVITE YOU TO CALL SOON. IF YOU HAVE ALREADY PROVED THE SATISFACTORY QUALITY OF OUR SUPERIOR STOCK, WE SOLICIT YOUR CONTINUED PATRONAGE.

NO. 1 JAPAN RICE (Regular 2 pounds for 25c.)
NO. 1 ASCROFT BEANS (Regular 2 lbs for 25c.)
CANNED PUMPKIN—two size for 25c.
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OUR FAMOUS BUFFALO BRAND COFFEE 3 lbs for 50c.

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\$8 ton at shed. \$8.70 Delivered

HUMBERSTONE AND PEMBINA COAL

IN OUR SHEDS AT THE SAME PRICE. EGG SIZE IN THE ABOVE \$100 CHEAPER.

The following taken from agricultural statistics is of so much importance to every farmer that we are quoting it in full.

IMPLEMENT PROTECTION AND IMPLEMENT LIFE

The annual loss to farmers who do not fully protect their machinery in a whole enormous. A great proportion is due to rapid deterioration from unnecessary exposure. Too often this loss is a roof for valuable machinery, and at present prices machines are too valuable property to stand neglected from season to season. Two hundred farmers in Iowa were asked their opinion as to the average life of farm machinery when protected as compared with machines left in the fence corners. Their statement shows practically a doubling of the life of all ordinary machines which are protected in an implement shed.

Following is the average life in years of implements when housed and when neglected:

Machine	Housed	Unhoused
Blender	12	7
Disc Harrow	16	8
Dump Wagon	16	7.5
Drill	14	6.5
Plow	14	9
Hay Loader	16	7
Manure Spreader	12	6
Mower	16	9
Wagon	20	8

For the price of one machine you can put up a shed which will double the life of all your machinery. Can you afford to go without it? Come in and let us show you how little it will cost to put up an implement shed.

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